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To whom it may concern:

January 9th , 2015

Dear Sir/Madam

Our vessel has been fixed on January 9th , 2015 for time charter voyage from NOLA to Veracruz.
It is currently at Puerto Cabello, ready to sail. In view of new ECA regulations we have tried to arrange Low sulfur gas oil at Puerto Cabello through our traders, World Fuel. We were advised that this grade of Fuel is not available at Puerto Cabello through any of the local suppliers.
Currently there are no NAECA compliant fuel on board. In this regard, we ask that vessel will be granted A waiver and allowed to proceed to NOLA using fuel available on board (MDO sulf. cont. 0.46%).
We have already stemmed sufficient quantity of compliant fuel to be supplied at NOLA.

Sincerely yours

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